

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Edward O. Clapper  
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Title SYLLABIC SEARCH ENGINES AND RELATED METHODS (As Amended)  
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PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

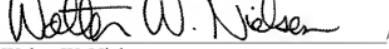
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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Final Office Action mailed July 14, 2006, said period of response being extended from October 14, 2006 to January 14, 2007. Since January 14, 2007 falls on a Sunday, it is believed that the due date carries over to the next day, Tuesday, January 16, 2007 (Monday, January 15, 2007 is a federal holiday).

**Since a Petition for One-Month Extension of Time and the fee for same were filed with the U.S. Patent Office on November 14, 2006, it is believed that the fee currently due is the difference between the three-month fee (\$1,020) and the one-month fee (\$120). Accordingly, please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$900 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.**

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